Can I be in this program?

You should apply if you:

- Meet certain disability criteria
- Are a U.S. citizen or qualified alien
- Are 18-64 years of age
- Are employed
- Have countable income up to 300% of the federal poverty level
- Have resources of less than \$10,000 if unmarried and \$15,000 if married. (Certain retirement accounts are excluded from consideration.)



The services and facilities of the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (DHMH) are operated on a non-discriminatory basis. This policy prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex, or national origin and applies to the provisions of employment and granting of advantages, privileges and accommodations.

The Department, in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, ensures that qualified individuals with disabilities are given an opportunity to participate in and benefit from DHMH services, programs, benefits, and employment opportunities.



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Maryland Medical Assistance

Employed Individuals with Disabilities (EID) Program



Marylanders
with disabilities
CAN WORK
and keep their
health benefits!

What is the Employed Individuals with Disabilities Program?



The Employed Individuals with Disabilities (EID)
Program extends Medical
Assistance health benefits to working Marylanders with disabilities.

Also known as the Medicaid Buy-In, this program lets you return to work and keep your health benefits by paying a small fee.

You can make more money or have more resources in this program than other Medicaid programs in Maryland.

What health benefits can I get?

All Medical Assistance services are covered. You can go to any fee-for-service Medical Assistance Provider. Services include but are not limited to:

- Inpatient and outpatient care
- Mental health services
- Physician and clinic visits
- Prescription drugs
- Personal care services at the home and work place

You can have Medicare or private health insurance benefits, and still be in the Employed Individuals with Disabilities Program.

What do I have to pay to be in the program?

For certain individuals, you can enroll for free. For others, a small fee of \$25 -55/month will be charged based on your income. If you are unable to pay the fee, you many request that the fee be waived.

How do I apply?

Go to

http://mmcp.dhmh.maryland.gov/eid to fill out an application or call 1-866-373-9651 (TTY: 1-866-373-9652) to have an application sent to you. Be certain to send ALL of the following items:

- a signed application
- verification of employment and income
- social security number
- proof of citizenship
- any necessary documentation to verify your resources or assets

Once you have completed the application and collected all the documents, please mail to:

DHMH Attn: EID 6 St. Paul Street, Suite 400 Baltimore, MD 21202

If you need help with filling out the application, please contact any disability-related agencies that now serve you to see if they can help you apply or the nearest Center for Independent Living.

If you have any questions, call our hotline at 1-866-373-9651 (TTY: 1-866-373-9652) or go to our website at http://mmcp.dhmh.maryland.gov/eid

If you have questions about your eligibility, call our office at 410-767-7090.